

THE HONORABLE
SHARPE JAMES, MAYOR
13TH ANNUAL
STATE OF THE CITY ADDRESS



THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1999
7 P.M.
Municipal Council Chamber
City Hall
Newark, New Jersey



Message

It is not the critic who counts, nor the man who points out how the strong man stumbled, or where the doer of deeds could have done better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena; whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood; who strives valiantly; who errs and comes short again and again; who knows great enthusiasms, great devotions, who spends himself in a worthy cause; who, at the best, knows in the end the triumph of high achievement; and who, at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly, so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who know neither victory nor defeat.

~Attributed to Theodore Roosevelt~

13th ANNUAL MESSAGE
TO THE CITIZENS OF NEWARK

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PROGRAM**

Master of Ceremonies	Angelo Cortinas Deputy Mayor
Introduction of Mayor Sharpe James	Deputy Mayor Cortinas
Presentation of Flags	Bronze Shields
Pledge of Allegiance	Ashley Carrero Vanessa Santiago Students, South St. School
National Anthem	Gwen Moten Supervisor, Cultural Affairs
“Lift Ev’ry Voice and Sing”	The Cabarrus Brothers
Invocation	The Rev. Francis Gilliard Pastor Smyrna Baptist Worship Center
State of the City Address	Hon. Sharpe James, Mayor
Benediction	The Rev. Mildred J. Solomon Newark Regional Commissioner Rector, House of Prayer Episcopal Church Vicar, St. Barnabas Episcopal Church



Mayor
Sharpe James

Municipal Council
Donald Bradley, Council President and
South Ward
Augusto Amador, East Ward
Cory A. Booker, Central Ward
Mamie Bridgeforth, West Ward
Anthony Carrino, North Ward
Gayle H. Chaneyfield-Jenkins, At-Large
Luis A. Quintana, At-Large
Donald K. Tucker, At-Large
Bessie Walker, At-Large